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SWEENEY NAMED

By the Democrats of Wheeling for the Mayoralty, Beating

CHARLEY SEABRIGHT EASILY.

John S: Ritz is the Candidate for Chief of Police and Henry Bruner Wins the Wharfmaster Nomination-"Billy" Paul had no Opposition for the City Clerk Nomination The Ticket is Decidedly Weak.

The city Democracy indulged in a primary election on Saturday. It was a disappointing affair, both in point of the number of votes cast and in the strength of the ticket put up. About 1,490 votes were cast, in the face of the three lively contests that were waged for the nominations for mayor, wharf-master and chief of police. The Register explains the small vote by the plea that the election occurred the day before Christmas, and affects to believe that the contests were not spirited. The latter assertion is so palpably untrue that it is hardly necessary to mention the desperate efforts made by mention the desperate efforts made by the henchmen of Messrs. Rits, Richardson, Sweeney, Seabright. Bruner and Goodwin to get their friends to the polls. Next Saturday the Republicans have their primary election; likewise it occurs before a holiday, New Year's, so, according to the Register, a large vote is not likely, yet when the Republicans cans poll probably at lesst a thousand more votes than the Democrats, the Market street organ will be unable to see in this comparative showing probable victory for the Republican candidates next month.

The result of the primaries for mayor, chief of police and wharfmaster, for all of which nominations there were warm contests, was as follows:

MAYOR.

Sesenty, bright.

Sweeney, bright,

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ı	Sixth ward	203	110
	Seventh ward	17	88
	Eighth ward	59	31
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	Totals	1904	457

The nominations for council were as follows: First Branch.

First—P. J. Scalley.
Second—M. J. O'Kane.
Third—Bobert Simpson.
Fourth—Joseph J. Beuter.
Fifth—John Waterhouse.
Sixth—Harry W. Gartley.
Seventh—Albert Magers.
Eighth—Valentine Theby.

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Second Branch.
First—D. P. O'Leary, Andrew Korn,
Joseph Dailer, Robert L. Frazier.
Second — R. Walters, George W.
Dusch, August: Matthews.
Third—Thomas O'Brien, sr., Samuel
W. Harper, Fred D. Strausser.
Fourth—Joseph Weisgerber, Patrick
Fitzh—Merich J. Healty.
Fifth — Edward H. Kurtz, George
Long, fr., Michael Ziegler.
Sixth—Burke Watson, Thomas W.
Killeen, Frank Gaus, John M. Ritter,
C. F. Caldwell.
Seventh—T. A. Hoge, James T. McGee, J. A. Woods.
Eighth—Otto H. Auber, Louis Allum,
John Wentzel, J. G. Russell.
Mr. Andrew T. Sweeney, the candidate for mayor, is an estimable gentleman, but a weak candidate. Risprincipal handleap is that he is comparatively unknown; he wouldn't have
been nominated excepting for the facts
that he is his father's son, and was
opposed by a man whose friends besire to enter politics again, Mr. Sweeney
served one term as assistant city clerk
with Clerk Thomas H. Thoner, and
since then has been employed in a clerical capacity at the Whitaker Iron
Works.
John S. Ritz, candidate for chief of
police, is down in the city directory as

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John S. Ritz, candidate for chief of police, is down in the city directory as residing at No. 600 National Road, no occupation given. He was formerly an officer under Chief McNichols, with a creditable record.

Henry Bruner, candidate for wharf-master, conducts a boat store on Water street. He was a candidate for the position two years ago, but his ambition was as rudely shattered then as twell be next month.

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William H. Paul was unopposed for the nomination for city clerk, but Charley Watkins will "fix his clock" in short order when they enter the municipal election arena in January. Paul is the snare drummer for the Opera House band and a member of council just now. He is a good drummer and a passable councilman.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Going and Coming of Wheeling People and Visitors.

M. J. Keigan and wife, of Parkers-burg, are at the Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Downing, of Sistersville, were Howell guests last

Frank La Flam and family, of Pitts-burgh, are visiting relatives in the Elighth ward.

Eighth ward.

F. C. Harrington, of Sistersville, and
G. K. Gambrill, of Parkersburg, were
arrivals at the Stamm last night.
George Brand, the Postal operator at
Pittsburgh, and wife are spending
Christmas with East End relatives.

Charles C. Conley, of Steubenville, W. A. Kilne, of Hendrysburg, Chet Fowler and C. W. Wall, of Barnesville, were Ohio registers at the McLure yes-

terday.

Mr. Philip H. Spaeter, jr., of P. H. Spaeter, & Son, of Philiadelphia, was a guest at the residence of Miss Anna F. Friedel, of Indians street, also of the Misses Schopper, on Main street.

Artistic Menn Cards.

The McLure's Christmas menu cards were about the finest ever seen in this vicinity, being models of art. Each card cover was of different design, all being artistically hand painted. The cards were the work of Miss Mamie Patterson, of Elm Grove.

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The auction sale will be continued every afternoon and evening after Monday during this week.

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Thespeans. The opening performance of the spec-tacle "Ben Hur," an adaptation from General Lew Wallace's great work of fiction, will occur at the Opera House to-morow night, and there will be an-other eyening performance on Wednes-day, wih a matinee on Thursday. The cast embraces the names of many local amateur Thesplans, as follows: Ben-Hur. E. U. Franzhelm

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Statuary,
Miss Ethel Balley, Miss Gene Waterhouse, Miss Flora Stite!
Sylvides, Queen of the Butterflies...
Zenetta, Queen of the Arabians
Thalia (solo), Miss Gerrude Harris
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Egyptian Fandango—Chaperons: Mrs. W. A. Isett and Miss Gene S. Friend. Mamie Grubh, Frances Wheat, Ella Chew, Nymphs of Daphne—Chaperons: Mrs. J. Holloway. Julia Kirk, Neille Prager, Edna Ewing, Neille Glichrist.

Kirk. Neille Prager, Edna Ewing, Neil Gilchrist.

Arabian Girls' Frolic-Chaperons: Mrs. G. B. Caldwell and Mrs. G. A. Aschman, Sarah Kirk, Gertrude Dillon, Beessie English, Hester Brady, Margaret Glass, Elisabeth Steennol.

Butterflies-Chornons: Mrs. I. G. Dillon and Mrs. Jennet Hendershot. Madelyne Bloch, Margaret Brady, Eleanor McLure, Eleanor Glass, Josephine Robinson, Alice Miller. Monte: Wickham, Beessie Meder, Amy Meder, Evelyn Retzer, Isabel Caldwell, Xie Swift.

Sprites Fantania-Chaperons: Mrs. B. W. Peterson and Mrs. J. D. Culbertson, Martha Lee Robinson, Florence Garrison, Sara Garrison.

BRIEF MENTIONINGS.

Events in and About the City Given in

a Nutshell.

Matinees at both theatres this after-Grand to-night - "Wheel of For-

Opera House to-night — "Shore Acres." Mr. C. D. Thompson, on Saturday, on behalf of Eureka Lodge, Shield of Honor, paid \$1,090 insurance to the widow of the late John Niness.

ow of the late John Niness.

Intelligencer reporters are under obligations to the Hon. Augustus Poliack
for "Crown" stogies and to Manager
Charles A. Feinler, of the Grand Opera
House, for cigars, a usual holiday offering from these gentlemen.

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Pig Roasts At Daniel club's sample room, corner of Eighteenth and Eon street, on Monday, December 26, 1898, from 3 to 5 p. m., and 8 to 10 p. m. All friends and patrons are cordially invited to attend. This will also be made the occasion to celebrate the birthday of the proprietor.

DIED.

KNOKE—On Sunday afternoon, Decem-per 25, 1828, at 12:30 o'clock, HANNAH, wife of Adolph Knoke, in her 62d year. Funeral from her late residence, No. 2821 Jacob street, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Friends of the family respect-fully invited to attend. Interment at Mr. Zion cemetery.

Mt. Zion cemetery.

MARSH-On Sunday. December 23, 1898, at 125 o'clock p. m., IRENE MARSH, daurbier of the the V-oph Marsh, in the 18th year of her age.

Funeral from the family residence, No. 149 Twenty-ninth street, on Tuesday at 9 a. m. Interment at Cameron, W. Va.

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CONSOLIDATED CASES. IN EQ THE MERCANTIL TRUST COM VS. THE BALTIMORE AND RAILROAD COMPANY et al.

RAILROAD COMPANY et al.

The undersigned have been appoint Special Masters by an order entered this case on the 18th day of November 18th, "to take the necessary accounts, he evidence, and report to the model of the tree and amount of all the tree and the same the names of all creditors had been appointed by the same the names of all creditors had been as a same the names of all creditors had been as a same the names of all creditors had been as a same the names of all creditors had been as a same the names of all creditors had been as a same the names of all creditors had been as a same the name of all creditors had been as a same to the corporate property is reported on, it shall be sufficient to include in such report the name names of the trustee or trustees, a mount of bonds issued and outstands as shown by the books of secount of the company, and a general description of the particular property covered by such mor gage or other item."

All persons, firms and corporations had ing or claiming to have any demand claim against the said Baltimore as Ohio Rallroad Company (except the name of the company of the said Special Masters at the court "The court further decrees in said or "The court further decrees in said o

road Company in the custody of the coror of company in the custody of the coror of such property or any partners, or in the distribution of the coror of such property.

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